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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Dear Sir:

In response to the restriction requirement set forth in the Office Action mailed, May 16, 2007, Applicant hereby elects Group II, claims 9-16, drawn to a process for hydrogenating acetylenic compounds, for continued examination without traverse.

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